

Chief of Police Carl Dabadie

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## ARREST IN CHILD DEATH INVESTIGATION

Baton Rouge Police Detectives have arrested MARVIN MERCER, 31 of 13675 Jackson Rd., Zachary, LA., in connection with the death of his 8 month old daughter, RAYLEE MERCER.

Detectives learned that MARVIN had arrived at work, at a local school in Baton Rouge, when he realized approximately two hours later that he had accidentally left his child inside the vehicle. MARVIN then transported his unresponsive child to a local hospital where she later succumbed to her injuries.

MARVIN will be booked into the East Baton Rouge Parish on the charge of Negligent Homicide.

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